

## PAID THE PENALTY.

**Murderer of President McKinley Was Electrocuted in Auburn Prison Tuesday Morning.**

**DIED UNCONFESED AND UNREPENTANT.**

**The Assassin Suffered a Slight Nervous Attack Monday Evening, But Remained Stoical and Sullen.**

**The Family Relinquished All Claim on the Body and It Will Be Buried in the Cemetery Attached to the Prison.**

Auburn, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Leon F. Czolgosz paid tribute with his life to the law as the murderer of President William McKinley at 7:15 o'clock Tuesday morning. He went to the electric chair unconfessed and unrepentant.

Czolgosz was dressed in a very simple manner for the execution, a pair of black trousers, a loose gray shirt, and a pair of gray socks completing the outfit. He wore no undergarments and no shoes. The left leg of the trousers was slit at the bottom to permit the free adjustment of the electrode, and the shirt was opened at the neck.

Seated in the chair, with the fatal current about to be applied, Czolgosz, facing the witnesses said: "I shot the president because I thought it would benefit the good working people. I am not sorry for the crime."

During this the attendants were busy strapping him to the chair. His last words were:

"I am awfully sorry I did not see my father."

This was said after the strap had been drawn across his face, yet his words were heard distinctly by all the witnesses in the room. For the first time in the history of the prison a condemned man marched to the fatal chair unaccompanied by a spiritual adviser.

The current was applied three times. Death was instantaneous. A current of 1,700 volts was used, and a first application of it undoubtedly caused the man's death. There was the usual straining of the body during the passage of the current, and then, after its cessation, the usual limp sinking back. The current was turned off a few seconds while the physicians listened at the heart and felt for the pulse of the unhappy man. There was no pulse, and Czolgosz was apparently dead. To make sure, however, a reduced current of 1,200 volts was sent through the body, and when this had been turned off and a second examination made, the assassin was officially pronounced dead. The straps were unloosed and the body removed at once to the operating table, where the autopsy was immediately begun by Drs. MacDonald and Gervin, the prison physician.

The resolution of Superintendent Collins to prevent sensation in the transportation and burial or cremation of the body of Czolgosz took new zest from two offers that were submitted Monday by men of questionable enterprise. A museum keeper in one of the larger eastern cities telegraphed him an offer of \$5,000 spot cash for either the body or the garments of the murderer and the owner of a Linotype wired Warden Mead that he would pay \$2,000 for permission to take a moving picture of Czolgosz entering the death chamber.

Monday night Superintendent Collins received a telephone message from the chief of police at Cleveland announcing that the father of the convicted man had signed an agreement similar to the one signed by the brother here Monday evening, giving the prison authorities the disposal of the body.

Czolgosz held his last two interviews Monday night, the first with Superintendent Collins and the second with his brother and brother-in-law. Both of the interviews were brief, and the interviewers did most of the talking until the question of religion was mentioned, when Czolgosz broke from his seeming lethargy and violently denounced the church and the clergy and made his relatives promise that there should be no services for him, living or dead. At 8 o'clock the brother and brother-in-law arrived and Superintendent Collins took them down to the condemned man's cell. There was no demonstration when they met. Czolgosz merely stepped to the front of his steel cage and said: "Hello."

The brother ventured the remark: "I wish you would tell us, Leon, who you are for."

The assassin answered in a slow, hesitating manner: "No one. Nobody had anything to do with it but me."

"That is not how you were brought up," said the brother, "and you ought to tell us everything now."

"I haven't got anything to tell," he answered in a surly manner.

"Do you want to see the priests again?" asked his brother, and he answered with more vehemence than he had previously shown: "No, d—m them; don't send them here again; I don't want them."

The brother-in-law interjected here: "That's right, Leon."

The brother looked rather disturbed by the answer. Then stepping up close to the bars the condemned man said: "And don't you have any more to say?"

"No more," he answered.

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ing over me when I'm dead. I don't want it. I don't want any of the d—m religion."

There was a painful pause of a few minutes, and then the relatives resumed casual conversation with him, to which he replied in monosyllables until the brother-in-law suggested, much to Superintendent Collins's surprise, that he and the brother be permitted to see the execution. Before the superintendent could reply, Leon Czolgosz said: "Yes, Mr. Superintendent, let them see me killed."

Superintendent Collins told the trio in emphatic terms that no such thing could be allowed and ordered them to say good-bye.

Czolgosz walked to the back of his cell, sat down on the edge of his cot and did not answer the last farewell.

Auburn, N. Y., Oct. 30.—The autopsy, which was conducted by a number of physicians, showed Czolgosz's brain to be in a perfectly normal condition. It was above the average in weight and formation, and showed not the slightest lesion. The doctors say every organ in the body was in normal condition at the time of his death.

The lengthy report prepared Tuesday afternoon by the autopsy surgeons related entirely to the brain, and was of a highly technical character. After scientifically describing to the minutest detail the brain of the dead murderer, the report concludes as follows:

"No anomalies found. The brain in general is well developed, sufficiently marked with fissures, and the lobes are in normal proportion."

The surgeons have not yet drawn a report on what the autopsy disclosed as to the other organs.

The remains of Czolgosz have been interred in the prison plot, and before 10 o'clock Tuesday night prison authorities say they were entirely consumed. No mound marks the place of the body, and there is nothing to indicate that Czolgosz ever lived. Great secrecy was observed in the disposition of the body. It was put under ground so quickly and so quietly, that few aside from the officials, knew it had left the prison.

At 1:10 the truck drove out of the State street gate of the prison. A guard in citizen's clothes was on the seat, with a convict beside him. Two other officers were mounted on the rear. The wagon drove in the direction of the Lehigh Valley depot, as if to deposit its freight there. Instead it proceeded to the cemetery at Fort Hill. Warden Mead was informed that there was no one at the cemetery at that time. A grave had been prepared, and it was buried in quick lime and vitrol. A guard will be placed in the vicinity, and a sharp watch will be maintained to prevent grave robbers from tampering with the grave until every vestige of the body has been consumed.

### LIFE SENTENCE.

**The Jury in the Culeb Powers Case Agreed on a Verdict in Less Than An Hour.**

Georgetown, Ky., Oct. 28.—For the second time a jury of 12 men Saturday gave Culeb Powers a life sentence in the penitentiary for conspiracy to murder William Goebel. The jury was given the indictment and instructions, and retired at 2:20 Saturday afternoon to make a verdict. Very few of the immense crowd present left the courtroom, but waited and anxiously watched the door of the jury room.

The jury reached a verdict in just 11 minutes. A motion for a new trial was overruled by Judge Cantrill. The grounds were that the jury men were all democrats and that Judge Cantrill should have vacated the bench.

### A Big Bet.

New York, Oct. 29.—At the Aqueduct race track Monday the largest wager yet made on the coming mayoralty election was recorded. The bet was \$31,500 against \$31,875.

### Collided With a Locomotive.

New York, Oct. 31.—As Percy Fournier, the French chauffeur, was crossing the tracks of the Long Island railroad near Westbury in an automobile, in which five others were seated, the machine came into collision with a locomotive and disastrous results followed. All six men were hurt and the machine demolished.

### An Order for Pressed Steel Cars.

Philadelphia, Oct. 31.—In order to facilitate the moving of coal and to relieve the blockade of the mines, the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. has decided to place orders immediately for 13,000 pressed steel cars.

### Lipton's Latest.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 31.—An agent of Sir Thomas Lipton is obtaining options on thousands of acres of Georgia lands, from which farm truck will be exported to England in the company's own vessels.

### Prisoners Break Jail.

Hartford City, Ind., Oct. 31.—Fred and John Burns, of Brown county, committed to jail for stealing a wedding suit from John Wells, have broken out of jail.

### Memorial Church in Buffalo.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 31.—Rev. John A. Copeland, of Worcester, N. Y., is in Cleveland soliciting aid of the Grand Army veterans of this city in establishing a memorial church in Buffalo.

### Gov. Taft Ill.

Manila, Oct. 31.—Gov. Taft has been sick in the hospital for ten days. He has undergone a surgical operation and is now recovering.



# THE PICK

Of all the Eastern and Western cities, including New York and Chicago, is represented in the Beautiful New Stock that is coming daily at the

## Busy Bee Cash Store,

And every preparation is being made for a Great Fall Business.

The buyers for our four large stores have returned from the Eastern markets and the transfer wagons are busy unloading the boxes and bales of

## New Fall Goods

The new fall and winter fabrics are more beautiful this season than ever before, and it will be the policy of the Busy Bee Cash Store corporation to hammer prices down so low that competition will be lost sight of. We buy for cash and we sell for cash and this alone enables us to offer values that will be new to the people in our city and county. Anyone may hire newspaper space and appeal to the eye with showy advertisements, not everyone, however, can reap results. Bold type is impressive, and expensive, but it is the doing and not the saying that counts in the long run. We are the pioneers of low prices in this city and it shall be our aim this fall to fight high prices, and old-time ways of doing business with the tenacity of blood-hounds and give to our customers a harvest of rich bargains that will be long remembered.

### Mens' Furnishing Goods, Etc.

We are naming prices on men's furnishing goods, shirts, collars, neckwear, hosiery, handkerchiefs, gloves, suspenders, etc., that looks like we are giving them away. Come and get your share.



### CLOTHING

And now for the Clothing. Here is where we "knock em out." Competition is bound to take a back seat when they butt up against our clothing stock. Our buyers went up against the clothing market just like there never would be any more clothing to buy, but they couldn't help it. They made offers for stack upon stack of clothing for cash down and their offers were accepted.

We have the clothing bought at our own prices. You get it for just about half what it would cost you in regular houses. Men's, Boys', Youths and Children's nobby fall suits, overcoats, odd pants, odd vests, odd coats, and everything to be had in a first-class clothing house are being shown in this

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42-INCH KERSEY CLOAK SPECIAL PRICE, \$12.50.

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Our Special

### Long Kersey Cloak,

No. 174—42 Inches Long.

This Cloak we are showing in Black, Red, Oxford, Castor and Brown. This Cloak will be offered at a Special Inducement at \$12.50 for the people who could not attend our opening.

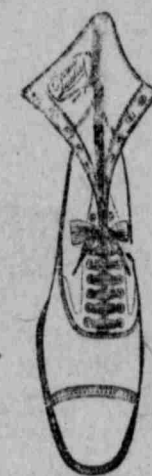
We are also showing a complete line of cloaks for Ladies and Children in the Newest and Best Styles.

department Our children's suits from 98c up to our elegant suits are creating quite a sensation. Our men's cassimere suits at \$2.98 are as good as can be bought for \$5 and \$6 elsewhere. Our nobby suits for men and boys, prices from \$5, \$5.50 and \$12.50 are worth double the price asked for them. Our prices on all overcoats will be a treat to everybody. Call and see them.

### Shoes, Shoes, Boots, Boots

Never before have we been able to offer such values. Our buyers have certainly made their money talk in buying this stock of boots and shoes. We are offering good solid boots and shoes for fall and winter wear at absolutely less than they can be manufactured for. Money talks in buying shoes. Lot after lot were picked out by our shrewd buyers and cold cash planked down for them until we had all and more than our stores could hold. Come and "boot up" and "hoe up" your entire family with less

money than it will cost to buy a pair or two elsewhere. We offer no shoddy stuff, our goods are reliable and up-to-date, first-class stuff or money refunded with each and every shoddy pair purchased from



### Foot Ease.

SEE THAT THIS "Queen Quality" TRADE MARK IS BRANDED ON EVERY SHOE. Well-Set Sole, Extension Edge, Low Heel, Broad Shapely Toe.

Exact Reproduction of this Style Shoe.

us. The very best manufacturers are represented in our stock of shoes. We are showing ladies heavy, coarse and fine shoes, men's work shoes, men's medium and fine shoes, boys' and men's coarse and fine boots, children's shoes of all kinds, and all go at prices that is a death blow to competitors.

### Dress Goods, Silks and Trimmings

We are showing all the new fabrics in dress goods that are in favor this season. All colors and blacks are represented in our dress goods department, every weave from plain and figured, Jaquard to the finest imported Kerseys. Our Golf goods and heavy weight stuff for pedestrian skirts will be the talk of the town. You can buy nice woolen dress goods from us as low as 14c per yard, on up to high class stuff worth \$3, \$4 and \$5 per yard. Come early and take your pick.

### Our Silks, Dress Trimmings and Velvets.

are marvels of beauty. All colors in Taffetta Silks, good quality as low as 49c per yard. Our Dress Trimmings are brand new. No dress is stylish if the trimmings are old style. See our line and get the proper things in Dress Trimmings.

### Blankets and Comforts

are piled mountain high on our tables and counters. Never was such values offered as we are giving in this department. All wool 10-4 and 12-4 fine blankets are being sold at the price formerly paid for low priced stuff. We are selling good 10-4 size white blankets and gray blankets with beautiful blue, pink and red borders for 49c each. Our comforts run in price from 4c to \$4.95. Our 4c comfort is a hummer, good size and good quality. You will be shown beautiful patterns in French satteen comforts and Eiderdowns. We can set you up for housekeeping in this department. Blankets, comforts, sheets, pillow cases, white spreads can be had here. Call and see them.

## OLDHAM BROTHERS & CO., Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

### Stray Calf.

A 2 year-old steer calf, dehorned, brindle, came to my place Monday, October 14. Owner can have same by paying expenses of keeping, and for this notice.

16 tf. GEORGE STYLES.

### For Sale.

Dining suit, folding bed, piano, stove, &c. Inquire of Mrs. John T. Phillips, High street, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

### For Sale at a Bargain.

Three yearling Shorthorn Bulls, all reds and good individuals.

14-4t R. B. Young.

### For Rent.

The two story frame residence on S. E. Corner of Main and Queen Streets opposite my residence.

J. G. TRIMBLE.

15 tf.

Buy your coal before the advance

13 4t J. S. HERRIOTT.

### Bell's Flowers go Everywhere.

We keep posted on the newest and up-to-date ideas in floral combinations. BELL, The Florist, Lexington, Ky.

J. H. Wood, Agt. 20 tf

J. W. Jones guarantees all of his glasses to fit. 40 1y

### For Sale.

Ten pure bred Poland China Boars

E. S. CONNINGHAM, Thomson, Ky.

12 4t

Ask for our price list of cut

flowers, quality the best, prices the

lowest. BELL, The Florist, Lexington, Ky.

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Go to J. W. Jones, the optician,

and have your eyes tested. 40 1y

Can save you money on coal.

13 4t J. S. HERRIOTT.

### Strayed.

There is at my place a barrow which came there about August 23. The owner can have property by proving and paying all costs.

16-3t S. M. WALKER, Spencer, Ky.

### Strayed or Stolen.

From my farm on Monday night, October 21, two red steers, one dehorned, weight about 700 pounds each. Address

JOHN W. COCKRELL, Camargo, Ky.

Man is the only animal that eats pie and employs a physician.